



# 2008 JULY CALENDAR

## SCHOONER ERNESTINA

**Park Interpreter: Thomas**

**Park Phone Number: (508) 992-4900**

All programs are free and open to the public. All children must be accompanied by an adult.

Reasonable accommodations available upon request. For more information please call the park.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		<b>1</b> 10:00AM-12:00PM Why Knot?	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b> 10AM – 12:00PM Gyotaku: Japanese Fish Printing	<b>4</b> 4:00PM – 6:00PM Greater New Bedford Summerfest	<b>5</b> All Day Greater New Bedford Summerfest Cape Verde Recognition Day Parade
<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b> 1:00PM - 3:00PM Gyotaku: Japanese Fish Printing	<b>10</b> 5:00PM – 9:00PM AHA! - Summer Sounds	<b>11</b> 10AM – 12:00PM Navigation Scavenger Hunt	<b>12</b> All Day Whaling City Festival
<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> 10AM-12:00PM Creature Feature: Dockside Discovery	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b> 10:00AM-12:00PM Why Knot?	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b> 10:00AM-6:00PM Merrimac River Maritime Festival
<b>20</b> 10:00AM-6:00PM Merrimac River Maritime Festival	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b> 10AM-12:00PM Creature Feature: Dockside Discovery	<b>24</b> 1:00PM - 3:00PM Gyotaku: Japanese Fish Printing	<b>25</b> 1:00PM - 3:00PM Ship Bingo	<b>26</b>
<b>27</b>	<b>28</b> 10AM – 12:00PM Why Knot?	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b> 10AM-12:00PM Creature Feature: Dockside Discovery		



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## PROGRAM DESCRIPTIONS

<b>Why Knot?</b>	Learn how to tie (and untie!) different kinds of knots. Make a bracelet to take home!
<b>Gyotaku: Japanese Fish Printing</b>	Gyotaku is the ancient Japanese art of fish printing. Choose your color and make your own prints using fish replicas!
<b>Navigation Scavenger Hunt</b>	Learn how to use a compass and then use your new skill to go on a scavenger hunt! See if you can follow our directions to find landmarks in and around the park.
<b>Ship Bingo</b>	Play bingo the Ernestina way! Learn about the history of the ship while playing bingo.
<b>Creature Feature: Dockside Discovery</b>	Discover what creatures and other things may be found right next to us down at the dock. Can you find a Sea Star, identify fish and spot a crab?

## SPECIAL EVENTS & FESTIVALS

<b>Greater New Bedford Summerfest</b>	The Greater New Bedford Summerfest, an international folk music and arts festival, is packed with fun-filled activities for the entire family. The staff from the Ernestina will be there with an informational booth. More information available at <a href="http://www.newbedfordsummerfest.com/">http://www.newbedfordsummerfest.com/</a>
<b>Cape Verde Recognition Day Parade</b>	The 36 <sup>th</sup> Annual Cape Verdean Recognition Parade is part of New Bedford's Annual Cape Verdean Recognition Week activities. The Parade starts at Union Street and Rockdale Ave. at Buttonwood Park, travels down Union St. and ends at Acushnet Ave. The Schooner Ernestina will be represented by members of the staff as well as some of our passionate volunteers.
<b>AHA! - Summer Sounds</b>	Stroll downtown New Bedford on July 10th AHA! night and be serenaded by Summer Sounds. The evening will include a sampling of various music genres including jazz, folk, flamenco, Celtic and rock. The staff from the Schooner Ernestina will be there! More information available at <a href="http://www.ahanewbedford.org/">http://www.ahanewbedford.org/</a>
<b>Merrimack River Maritime Festival</b>	Between July 19 and 20, 2008, the Salisbury Beach Partnership will host the first annual Merrimack River Maritime Festival at Salisbury Beach. The festival will be alive with activities including ship tours and



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	entertainment all weekend. Food and refreshments will be available. The Schooner Ernestina will have a booth at the festival with “Why Knot?” and other information about the ship’s past and present.
<b>Whaling City Festival</b>	The three-day festival features arts, crafts, food and entertainment, firefighter competitions, a custom car and truck show, and one of the area's largest outdoor flea markets.